U .S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE CRIMINAL DIVISION OFFICE OF ENFORCEMENT OPERATIONS DEPUTY CHIEF/GS-15

This position is open to all government attorneys. Announcement Number: 07-CRM-OEO-014

The Criminal Division of the U.S. Department of Justice, is seeking a Deputy Chief for the Office of Enforcement Operations (OEO), Electronic Surveillance Unit (ESU), in Washington, D.C. The Electronic Surveillance Unit reviews all requests for electronic surveillance pursuant to 18 U.S.C. 2510 et seq., in federal investigations and recommends approval or disapproval to the Assistant Attorney General. In addition, the ESU attorneys provide training, and legal and policy advice on electronic surveillance matters to the U.S. Attorneys' Offices, and federal law enforcement agencies, and perform a myriad of other functions relating to coordination and implementation of electronic surveillance in federal investigations.

In addition, the Unit reviews and approves all requests from federal investigative agencies to engage in consensual closed circuit television during investigations. The Unit also reviews and approves all requests from federal investigative agencies seeking court orders for the use of closed circuit television in non-consensual situations in which a right to privacy is present.

The Deputy Chief works with the Chief on all issues and programs of the ESU, and performs a variety of tasks, as directed by the Chief. The incumbent not only supervises six attorneys within the Unit, but also maintains a caseload, and travels when necessary to provide training to federal prosecutors and law enforcement agencies.

Applicants must possess a J.D. degree, be duly licensed and authorized to practice as an attorney under the laws of a state, Territory or the District of Columbia, and have at least five years of post-J.D. legal experience. *Applicants must also have: 1) solid criminal experience;*2) experience in supervising the work product of attorneys; 3) strong academic credentials as well as excellent research and writing skills; 4) experience writing and reviewing electronic surveillance affidavits; 5) considerable interpersonal skills; and 6) a willingness to travel, sometimes on short notice.

Applicants must submit a resume or current OF-612 (Optional Application for Federal Employment), and a current performance appraisal (if applicable). A current SF-171 (Application for Federal Employment) will be accepted as well. Applications should be sent to:

U.S. Department of Justice Office of Enforcement Operations 1301 New York Avenue, NW, Room 1220 Washington, D.C. 20035-001

Attn: Anna Azmi

No telephone calls please. Applications must be postmarked by August 30, 2007. Current salary and years of experience will determine the appropriate salary level. The possible salary range is GS-15 (\$84,664-114,224).

The U.S. Department of Justice is an Equal Opportunity/Reasonable Accommodation Employer. It is the policy of the Department to achieve a drug-free workplace and persons selected will therefore be required to pass a drug test to screen for illegal drug use prior to final approval. Employment is also contingent upon the satisfactory completion of a background investigation adjudicated by the Department of Justice.

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